Voluntown Board of Education Agenda

September 10, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. Virtual Meeting

This public meeting is being held via Zoom and can be watched "live" on the Voluntown School YouTube channel below:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3I7dQmnXMxoTlNHzaSZ1zw

Public must submit any comments via email <u>at least one hour before the scheduled meeting time</u> to the BOE Clerk (<u>djackman@voluntownct.org</u>). Comments will be read during the Citizen's Comment section. A recording of this meeting will be available on the school website within 7 days.

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Citizens/Comments
- IV. Guests: None
- V. Consent Agenda
 - Approve Minutes August 13 and 27, 2020
 - Approval of Bills August 2020
 - Function/Object August 2020
 - Food Services Accounts August 2020
 - Receipt of the Committee Summary Report
 - Correspondence
- VI. Administrative Reports
 - 1. Principal
 - 2. Director of Student Services
 - 3. Superintendent
- VII. Committee Reports
- VIII. Old Business
 - 1. 2019-20 Budget Transfers and 2021-22 Budget Preparation Process
 - 2. COVID-19 Update
 - 3. Reopening Update
 - 4. Faculty & Staff Assignments for 2020-21
 - 5. Policy, Regulation and Form #4000.1 Title IX (Second reading)
 - 6. Policy and Forms #5111 Admission/Placement (Second reading)
 - 7. Policy #5112 Ages of Attendance (Second reading)
 - 8. Policy #6172.61 District Learning Plan (Second reading)
 - 9. Bylaw #9321.2 Remote/Electronic Board of Education Meetings (Second reading)
- IX. New Business
 - 1. NAEYC Accreditation Support: Application for School Readiness Program
 - 2. Personnel
 - 3. Agreement Between Griswold and Voluntown BOE for Fingerprinting Serviced
 - 4. Norwich Free Academy Master Agreement
- X. Suggestions for Next Meeting Thursday, October 10, 2020
- **XI.** Executive Session (Negotiations, Staffing needs for the Reopening)
- XII. Adjournment

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Voluntown Board of Education Mission Statement

The Voluntown Board of Education's mission is to provide our students the skills essential to reach their highest potential in a safe environment for learning as they aspire to become responsible, respectful, and civic-minded members of society. We commit to help educate, challenge, and inspire each child to excel as lifelong learners who can adapt constructively in an ever-changing, multicultural, and technological world. (August, 2020)

Public Comment Disclaimer

The Board welcomes public participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to five minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. To protect the impartiality of the board, we will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, nor against any person connected with the Voluntown Public Schools. Such issues should be brought to the school administration. The board will not respond to comments made during public comment, except to clarify issues. When appropriate, district administration will follow-up at a later point in time.